



REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP ART UNIT 2822**

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFIC In re Patent Application of: Date: May 27, 2003 Daniel M. KINZER, et al. Group Art Unit: 2822 Serial No.: 09/891,727 Examiner: Monica Lewis Filed: June 26, 2001 For: LATERAL SUPERJUNCTION SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.17, 1.136(a) AND 35 USC 41(a)8

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by ONE (1) month. Enclosed is our check No. 11467 which includes the amount of \$110.00 for the petition fee in accordance with 37 CFR 1.17 computed as: 05/29/2003 GUOXDOF1 00000047

V	Response within first month	
	not small entity (\$110)	small entity (\$55)

You are authorized to charge to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700 any additional amounts owing.

If this petition is inadequate to avoid abandonment, the Assistant Commissioner for Patents is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 27, 2003:

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